

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s): Peter COSTANTINO et al. Confirmation No.: 7277
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For: ANEURYSM TREATMENT DEVICES AND METHODS
AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

Via EFS
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Responsive to the Non-Final Official Action dated August 18, 2008, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration in view of the following amendments and remarks.

Applicants have petitioned herewith and authorized payment of the appropriate fee for a three (3) month extension of time extending the date to respond to the Office Action from November 18, 2008 up to and including February 18, 2009.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 9 of this paper.